

**Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application:

**Listing of Claims:**

Claims 1-26 (Canceled)

27. (Original) A method of making an array of rooftop prisms, the method comprising:  
    providing an elongate prism element;  
    providing a pair of elongate stop elements that have surfaces possessing a desired degree of flatness;  
    optically polishing surfaces of the elongate prism element to a desired degree of flatness;  
    subjecting the elongate prism element, thus optically polished, to a set of operations that provide the plurality of rooftop prisms that make up the array; and  
    providing respective positioning elements to the array of rooftop prisms for movement between the pair of elongate stop elements.

28. (Original) The method of claim 27 wherein:  
    the elongate prism element is a unitary component; and  
    the set of operations includes physically cutting the elongate prism element into individual prisms.

29. (Original) The method of claim 27 wherein:  
    the elongate prism element is a bonded component of individual prisms; and  
    the set of operations includes breaking the bonds between individual prism.

Claims 30-37 (Canceled)